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Remarks

Claims 1-15 and 17-21 are pending. Claims 1-5, and 15-21 have been canceled. Claims 6, 13 and 14 are currently amended. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

In the Office Action dated April 25, 2008, the Examiner indicated that claims 6-12 are allowable if rewritten in independent form. Applicants have cancelled claims 1-5 and 15-21, rewritten claim 6 into independent form, and amended claims 13 and 14 to depend from allowable claim 6.

With this response, an earnest effort has been made to respond to all issues raised in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. In view of the above, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance and reconsideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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